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 In re application of: Arnold G. Slezak
 Assignee: Seagate Technology LLC
 Dkt. No.: P1535US01

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 Assignee: **SEAGATE TECHNOLOGY LLC**
 Application No.: **09/981,556** Group No.: **3729**
 Filed: **10/17/2001** Examiner: **A. Tugbang**
 For: **METHOD TO REDUCE SERVO PATTERN RUNOUT ON A PREWRITTEN DISC**

**Mail Stop Amendment
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STATUS

2. Applicant is other than a small entity.

EXTENSION OF TERM

3. The proceedings herein are for a patent application and the provisions of 37 C.F.R. 1.136 apply. Applicant petitions for an extension of time under 37 C.F.R. 1.136 (fees: 37 C.F.R. 1.17(a)(1)-(4)) for one month:

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FEE FOR CLAIMS

4. The fee for claims (37 C.F.R. 1.16(b)-(d)) has been calculated as shown below:

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INDEP.	5	-	5	=	0	x \$ 200.00	= \$ 0.00
FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM				+ \$ 0.00	= \$ 0.00		
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INDEP.	5	- 5	= 0	x \$	200.00	=	\$	0.00
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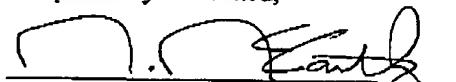
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Applicant Initiated Interview Request Form

Application No.: 09 /981,556 First Named Applicant: Arnold G. Slezak
 Examiner: A. Tugbang Art Unit: 3729 Status of Application: Pending

Tentative Participants:

(1) Examiner Tugbang (2) Mitchell K. McCarthy
 (3) _____ (4) _____

Proposed Date of Interview: To be determined by Examiner after review of amendment **Proposed Time:** _____ (AM/PM)

Type of Interview Requested:

(1) Telephonic (2) Personal (3) Video Conference

Exhibit To Be Shown or Demonstrated: [] YES NO
 If yes, provide brief description: _____

Issues To Be Discussed

Issues (Rej., Obj., etc)	Claims/ Fig. #s	Prior Art	Discussed	Agreed	Not Agreed
(1) <u>Restriction</u>	<u>1</u>	_____	[]	[]	[]
(2) <u>Restriction</u>	<u>25</u>	_____	[]	[]	[]
(3) <u>Restriction</u>	<u>30</u>	_____	[]	[]	[]
(4) _____	_____	_____	[]	[]	[]
[] Continuation Sheet Attached					

Brief Description of Arguments to be Presented:

Claims 1, 25 and 30 and claims depending therefrom are allowable.

An interview was conducted on the above-identified application on _____.

NOTE: This form should be completed by applicant and submitted to the examiner in advance of the interview (see MPEP § 713.01).

This application will not be delayed from issue because of applicant's failure to submit a written record of this interview. Therefore, applicant is advised to file a statement of the substance of this interview (37 CFR 1.133(b)) as soon as possible.


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